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Docket No. 311772000500

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Richard C. ALLEN et al

Serial No.: 09/002,413

Filing Date: January 2, 1998

For: USE OF PIGMENTED RETINAL
EPITHELIAL CELLS FOR CREATION
OF AN IMMUNE PRIVILEGE SITE



Examiner: M. Wilson

Group Art Unit: 1633

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2000 in the above-referenced patent application:

- ☒ Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 - 16 pages
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed (three months). - 2 pages
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$589.00 - 1 page
- ☒ Return postcard - 1 page

The fee (if any) has been calculated as follows:

| FOR | CLAIMS ON FILE AFTER THIS AMENDMENT MINUS HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | CALCULATIONS |
|--|---|--------------|------------|--------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 32-24 | 8 | x \$18.00 | \$144.00 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 5-7 | 0 | x \$80.00 | \$0 |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if not previously paid for and presented for the first time) * | | | + \$270.00 | \$0 |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = | | | | \$144.00 |
| Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). | | | | \$0 |
| SUB TOTAL = | | | | \$0 |
| Petition for Extension of Time | | | | \$445.00 |
| TOTAL = | | | | \$589.00 |

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$589.00 is attached.
- ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing docket no. 311772000500.

Respectfully submitted,

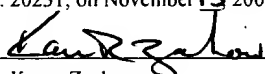
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2000 in connection with the above-identified application. A petition for a three month extension of time is attached, making this response was due on November 13, 2000 (November 10th being Friday and a USPTO holiday). Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Applicants have given careful consideration to the grounds for rejection and to the Examiner's suggestions regarding claim terminology. The following amendments and remarks are believed to place this application in condition for allowance, which is respectfully requested.

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